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THE EMBLEM OF THE GREEK PAN HELLENIC

As Monessen has in her substantial make-up a goodly proportion of Greek people, it is of some interest to Americans proper, to know a little of what they are and how they are looked to as a class, generally.

The Greeks of Monessen are as a rule, very ambitious, prosperous, and respected. It takes them but little time after coming to this country to drop into our ways, learn our mannerisms and language, get into business, and make money. Some of our most aggressive and courteous business people are Greeks, and they take great interest in civic, social and political matters.

In Monessen they have a strong branch of their Lodge, known as the Pan Hellenic Union, there being several hundred members enrolled, all active and in good standing.

Many are interested in and frequently inquire the meaning and the origin of the little emblematic button which almost every Greek in Monessen wears. This sign, or emblem, is formed of a double headed eagle, and represents the crown of their great Constantine Paleologos, Emperor of the Byzantine throne of the Hellenism, when the Greeks fell under the Turks nearly five hundred years ago. At that time this double headed eagle as an emblem was of course lost, flying, as it were, in different directions, not knowing where to go, where to stop or having a place to even perch. However, later it was given to the Patriarch, head man of the Greek Orthodox church, with the hope that some day, by God's help, that people would regain their lost capital, Constantinople, where the first crowned emperor of the entire Hellenism, or Greek people, would wear this emblem. But before the arrival of this hoped-for day, the Greeks all over the world, began wearing their emblem as the true subjects of the expected Emperor, and if they never see their Emperor, they strongly hope and believe that the time will soon come when every Greek subject living will be again re-united in one Nation as they are today united in one church.

This Greek society, Pan Hellenic, has now in the United States near 20 000 members, embraced in about 100 separate lodges. It is not entirely an independent organization as the Greek government lends considerable aid thereto, having now, touring the United States, Constantine Pappamichalopoulos, one of the best and most prominent Greeks of that country, visiting all the local lodges and instructing the members how to become and continue to remain good, true, honest, upright American citizens. This distinguished man who addressed the Monessen Greeks Sunday night in the Olympic theatre, has served his country as Senator and Secretary most of his mature life, and now he has charge of this Greek Order, the Pan Hellenic Union in the United States.

PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR MORE TRAINS

Local agent, A. G. Dunlap was in Pittsburgh yesterday, conferring with officials of the New York Central Lines in regard to the placing of a new train on this division to arrive here about 7 a. m., and to see what could be done to secure better connections with the Pennsylvania's trains at Braddock in order to facilitate reaching the county seat.

The former matter was received with favor and in all probability the next schedule which will go into effect June 1, will have the new train in its make up and also have a train leaving here later in the evening for the city. The train which leaves here at 6:29 a. m., it is thought, will be moved to about twenty minutes later and the Pennsylvania officials be asked to have the express leaving the city about 8 o'clock make Braddock a flag stop. This would clear the matter up in good shape, as it would allow almost twenty-five minutes for connections at that place and would still get passengers into Greensburg in time for the opening of court at 9 o'clock.

A carload of cattle consigned to Horn and Lowstuter arrived at the local freight yards yesterday morning and elicited many favorable comments from bystanders on their healthy conditions as they watched the unloading of the consignment.

Notice to Dog Owners

Every person owning or harboring any dogs, whether licensed or not, within the borough limits are hereby directed to comply with all the requirements of an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance in relation to the licensing of dogs, regulating the running at large of the same and providing penalties for breaches of provisions of this ordinance."

Ordinance Officer.
65-10t George Graul.

Philadelphia Dental Rooms
Next to Olympic Theatre.

is the place to get your old teeth made like new.

Gold Crowns and Bridge Work a Specialty.
For your next job—Try Us

PITTSBURGH STEEL CO. IS MAKING FIGHT FOR LOWER RATES ON ORE SHIPMENTS

Monessen has been placed in the limelight at Washington, D. C. this week, an attack having been made by the Pittsburgh Steel company on the rate of 96 cents a ton of iron ore from Ashtabula Harbor on Lake Erie to the Pittsburgh district. The plainest and most flagrant violation of law ever brought before the Interstate Commerce Commission is charged, it being claimed that the only motive for such violation is to benefit the United States Steel Corporation. The defendants are the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, the Pennsylvania Company, the Pennsylvana railroad, the Erie, Baltimore & Ohio and certain interveners. The Pittsburgh Steel company has mills here and at Glassport.

Following the recent decision in favor of John W. Boileau cutting the coal rate from Ashtabula Harbor from 88 to 78 cents a ton, the fight promises to be a memorable one that will have a very wide bearing among independent manufacturers

Wallace H. Rowe, president of the Pittsburgh Steel company was the first witness before the commission. He told of the plans of the company in building new blast furnaces at the local plant, which will be ready early in 1913, and which will give employment to several hundred additional men. He charged that while the cost of transportating iron ore from Ashtabula Harbor to the mills of the Steel corporation at Homestead, Braddock and other points was only 26 cents a ton, the Pittsburgh Steel company and independents paid 96 cents a ton. He said that the Steel Corporation's plant at Donora, McKeesport, Neville, Etna and other points received terminal allowances through the guise of some incorporated terminal railway although the entire trackage of one of them was under the roof of the mill.

THE KNICKERBOCKER STOCK CO. AT STAR

The Knickerbocker Stock Co., the peer of them all, has been secured for a special engagement of two weeks at the Star Theatre by Manager McShaffrey.

To those who have spent any time in the Eastern Cities this will be a welcome announcement, as the Company is called "The Pet of the New England shows." There they have maintained the superiority over all other traveling Stock Companies for nine long years.

The company present only high class plays and carry a company of picked artists. Each player is particularly suited to his or her line of parts.

Each performance is complete in every detail. During their engagement here they will present such plays as "Wedded and Parted" "Alaska" "The Bridge Builder" which is the companion to "Paid in Full" the great American Play, "The Man of The Hour." Also "A Dangerous Game," "The Belle of Kentucky," "Her First Step" and others. This is an opportunity that should be grasped by all, as no such repertoire of plays has ever before been presented in Monessen at popular prices.

The engagement opens on Monday April 29th, when they will present that beautiful play "Wedded and Parted."

Red cedar chips, the best moth preventative. Get them at Kirk's.

FOR SALE---At a bargain if sold within 10 days: 4 room house and large lot on First street hill; small payment down, balance same as rent.

FOR RENT---6 rooms and bath, Schoonmaker avenue between second and third streets. $25.00.

See SHUSTER & REED,
519 Schoonmaker Ave.

THE SOLUTION TO WHO IS WHO

The "Who is Who" publicity feature which appeared one week ago in the columns of this paper, was quite a success, inasmuch as it attracted unusual attention from the public. It seems as though the whole community's people wanted to find "Who is Who" and the question "Who is Who" was the talk of the town and among everybody, when the feature came out in our paper.

Many answers were received and out of them, we are publishing the prize winners names, on the space first occupied by the conditions, who won the cash prizes according to the conditions of the contest.

The correct list of the "Who is Who" advertisers is also published with their writeups according to the number of their space.

C. A. Leonard, former clerk at the Grand Hotel and recently of Waynesburg, is back at the Grand again and his many friends will be glad to hear of this as he was very popular and was well liked by everyone who enjoyed his acquaintance.

Pure Drugs and Standard Remedies

are what every purchaser can absolutely depend upon receiving when dealing with us. There are numberless nostrums and substitutes in the drug market made up to deceive credulous people, but what we cannot guarantee we don't sell. We believe in a square deal—in taking your money we give you good drugs in exchange.

Craig's Drug Store
461 Donner avenue.
The Rexall Store

SUBSCRIPTION TO KEEP STREETS CLEAN

A movement is on foot among the merchants along Donner avenue, between Fourth and Sixth streets to secure a man whose entire time will be devoted to cleaning and keeping clean the street in the limit. Many kicks have been registered by the merchants who complain of the dust and dirt that pervade their places of business, especially on Saturdays, when business is at its greatest ebb, and also when on rainy days the streets are impassable in many places, owing to the mud that is allowed to accumulate at the street crossings and in the gutters.

The recent meeting of the Board of Trade seems to have furnished the incentive for the action although the matter has been agitated for some time. At a late hour this afternoon the agreement had been signed by a majority of the leading merchants and it is expected that quite a few more will be added to the list before it is completed.

In addition to the above, many of the property owners have posted notices in their flats and houses to the effect that no papers were to be burned in the alleys unless all debris was cleared away and that no garbage was to be allowed to remain standing outside without being properly covered.

The vacant lots present an improved appearance in many places, and already several wagon loads of rubbish and papers have been carted away at private expense

HEALTHFUL HOME SECTION

Bellemore plan of lots, in North Belle Vernon, is one of the most healthful and desirable home sections about Belle Vernon. Up where the air is pure and wholesome, away from factory smoke and river mists and fogs. One square from trolley, with 5 cent fare to Monessen. One hundred of these beautiful home sites will be sold at auction, Friday and Saturday, commencing at 1:30 p. m. each day.

Notice

On and after May 1, all teams hired by the day must be paid for every two weeks. By order of the
Master Teamster's Association,
74 4t Monessen.

MASONS AT THE TOURNI THIS EVENING

A large number of members of the Masonic Order from Monessen, Charleroi, Belle Vernon, Donora, Monongahela and other Valley towns will be in Pitsburgh this evening to attend the annual Tourni of Knights Templar which is to be held in Exposition Hall, which has been transformed into a vast and mighty bower of flowers, bunting and electricity and is ready for the great event which will excel in grandeur and brightness anything of the sort ever before attempted in the busy city of Pittsburgh. Tonight thousands of Knights and their wives and lady friends will gather under the scintellating brightness of millions of vari-colored electric bulbs and perambulate through bowers and banks of palms, roses, lillies of the valley and spring greenery, and dance away the typical spring night.

It is looked forward to as being the most magnificent affair ever staged by the fourteen Knights Templar commanderies of the Pittsburgh district. More than 20,000 guests, Knights Templar and their ladies, are expected to gather in Exposition hall this evening. This affair is of greater importance also because of the fact that on May 27, 28 and 29, the Pittsburgh district commanderies will entertain the state conclave at a similar affair, including commanderies from every part of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland.

Mrs. Venneri's Funeral Tomorrow

The funeral of Mrs. Frank Venneri who died yesterday at her home on Schoomaker avenue will be held tomorrow afternoon at the house. The services will be conducted by Rev. H. O. MacDonald of the First Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock and interment will be made in Grandview cemetery.

Spring is the time to use Insect Killers. See a full line in Kirk's window.

Orange's ice cream at EDDY'S

THE smart dressing young man wears good, but not gaudy clothes.

Meyers' Clothes are not loud or lonesome looking. They're cheery and clever looking. Some fabrics are bright, some medium and some light; all are unusual in pattern and quality. It's no wonder the clothes made from them are distinctive. Add correct style to perfect fabrics and a perfect fit and perfect satisfaction is the natural result.

$10 to $25

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¶ The shoes to choose in spring time, or any other time.

¶ They have all the essentials of shoe-making—are comfortable, good to look at and wear well. We fit you perfectly, or make no sale.

COWAN'S
508 Donner Ave.

Let Us Clean Your Carpets Clean

We clean them scientifically. No weakened woofs, no broken threads. They come back absolutely clean, thoroughly renovated and as bright almost as the day they were bought.

A Vacuum Cleaner thoroughly up-to-date in every respect has been installed. By its use we guarantee satisfaction.

We call for and deliver all work. Send for us and save half the drudgery of house cleaning.

Monessen Laundry & Cleaning Co.

Monessen Savings & Trust Co.

Since this bank began business its total net earnings have been $127,363.42, from which the stockholders have received $48,000.00 in dividends, and the balance, $79,363.42, has gone back into the working capital of the business to increase the protection and security of depositors. The stockholdess now have invested in this business $229,363.42, every dollar of which is for the protection of its depositors. This is in line with this bank's policy to give first consideration to the interests and protection of its customers. **Your Account is Invited.**

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No business man in any city should allow a newspaper published in his city to go without his name and business being mentioned somewhere in its columns, says an exchange. This applies to all kinds of business—general stores, dry goods, furniture dealers, manufacturing establishments, automobile dealers, mechanics, professional men, and in fact, all classes of business men. This does not mean that you necessarily have a whole or half or even a quarter of a page announcement in every issue of the paper, but your name and business should be mentioned if you do not use more than a two line space. Strangers picking up a newspaper should be able to tell just what business is represented in a city by looking at the businesses mentioned in the paper. This is the best possible way to favorably advertise a town. The man who does not advertise his business does an injustice to himself and his city. He is the man who expects the newspaper to do the most free boosting for his city. The man who insists on sharing the business that comes to a place but refuses to advertise his business, is not a valuable addition to any town. The life of any city depends upon the live, wide awake and liberal advertising business men.

The Chester Times says, this, and it almost looks as though it may be pretty nearly true.

"There always has been and there always will be, trouble with the streets, and also in the collection or gathering of ashes, garbage, etc. So Chester's experience is the experience of other municipalities."

A headline in one of our exchanges reads: "Umbrellas soon to disappear." Soon? Two of ours have disappeared within the last month.

Sea going vessels in the future will carry more life boats. It is a case of locking the stable after horse has been stolen, but its better late than never.

Have You Spring Plowing?

A. Marple & Co., are prepared to plow lots and plots of ground for gardening. Leave orders at office, Donner, cor. Third. 62-tf

Druggist and Optometrist
E. A. Grodecour
Monessen Pharmacy
Sheetz Building

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Classified advertisements such as For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Boarding and Lodging and all such advertisements will be run under this heading at the rate of a cent a word.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light house keeping No. 105 Schoonmaker avenue. 74-3t

PLACE WANTED—Housework in good family by competent lady. Call 120 Schoonmaker avenue. 74-3t

ROOMS—For light house keeping. Inquire at 416 Donner avenue. 74-3t

SOLICITORS—Two experienced, at once, $15.00 per week and commission. Call between 8 and 9 a. m. and 6 and 9 p. m. ask for S. G. Cunningham, Commercial Hotel. 1t

FOR RENT—Furnished front room. Inquire over Kirk's Drug store. 73 3t-p

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Suitable for two men. Top floor 507 Donner avenue. 73-3t-p

WANTED—position as saleslady. Experienced, and can give best of reference. Address "C" this office. 72-3-p

FOR SALE—Electric sign, outdoor gas lamp, counters, shelving and whole grocery outfit. Inquire 45 Seventh street. 73-3t-p

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished or unfurnished, for light house keeping. 123 McKee avenue. 72-3t-p

FOR SALE—Furniture company suite for seven rooms. Will sell real cheap to quick buyer. Address O, sealed this office. 72-3t-p

TWO LADIES—Wanted for outside work—wages $1.50 per day. Peoples Store, 520 Donner avenue, Monessen. 62-tf

Peoples Store
Harry Cohen, Manager
YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD, THAT'S UNDERSTOOD
Everything Ready-to-Wear for Men, Women & Children.
Why Not Open a Charge Account?
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AGED "CHILDREN"

Fathers Were in Revolution

There are still living in New England ten or more persons whose fathers were American soldiers in the Revolutionary war All of them are over 90 and some over 100 years old.

All aged and elderly persons can add greatly to their comfort by keeping their energy and strength up to the highest point through the use of Vinol our delicious cod liver and iron prepartion without oil.

Mrs. A. M. Bassford, 86 years old, of Harrisonburg, Va., says: "I have been using Vinol for the past three years and am on my thirty-second bottel now. I think Vinol will do all it is recommended to do and that it is all that has kept me alive the past three years. I tried almost every other medicine and found Vinol the best."

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Cossack and Saint.

A Paris contemporary by way of illustration as to how some persons discharge their religious obligations relates a story of a Cossack who was overtaken by a terrible storm of thunder and lightning In his terror he prayed to the saint to save him and promised if only he once more reached his home he would sell his horse and the proceeds should be spent in candles in honor of the Saint The saint, pleased with so generous an offer, stayed the storm and the Cossack reached home in safety

This is how he discharged his vow The next day he went to the market with a cock and a horse His method of sale was this: He would only sell the two together, the horse at 30 kopecks (about 15 pence) and the cock at 200 rubles (about £20) After a time the Cossack found a purchaser on these terms and faithful to his vow the Cossack devoted 15 pence to the purchase of candles for the altar of his patron saint.

Nature's Beauty Hidden.

Nature, as we all know, is never at home to the mere sightseer or idle spectator Stare at her straight in the face, and you will see nothing; it is only the casual side glance which is rewarded by the sight of anything new or substantial—Henry C Merwin

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Mrs. Claude D. Johnston, Wood street, Belle Vernon, Pa., says: "I began to suffer from kidney trouble about one and a half years ago, the first symptom being a severe backache. The trouble was worse at night and I was hardly able to sleep. I was bothered by dizzy spells and irregular passages of the kidney secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me while I was living in Virginia and I decided to try them. The first few doses gave me relief and after I had taken half the contents of a box, I was entirely free from the complaint."

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What **BANK** offers every accommodation consistent with sound and prudent banking?

What **BANK** treats small depositors with the same courtesy as large ones?

Where do you go when you want information or advice about investments or other financial matters?

What **BANK'S** policy has always been to take care of its patrons?

What **BANK** has the largest number of depositors?

With these facts surely you will find "WHO IS WHO" in the BANKING BUSINESS. No. 1.

First National Bank
Cor. 6th and Donner.

PRIZE WINNERS NAMES

1st Prize $10.00—Janice Greer.
2d Prize 3.00—Prather Shuster.
3d Prize 2.00—Mrs. D. C. Baker.

These parties may now call at the office of the Daily Independent and receive their reward.

WHO IS WHO IN THE CLOTHING BUSINESS?

Who sells the best line of Clothing and **FURNISHINGS** for **MEN** and **BOYS**, in Monessen?

In what store do most of Monessen's well dressed young men buy their clothes and furnishings?

Who did the celebrated "**STEINBLOCH**" and "**FASHION**" clothes manufacturers choose for their selling agent in Monessen?

Who employes the highest salaried clothes designer in the world and who is this particular make sold by in Monessen?

Where can you always see the new styles of men's furnishings?

Who sells the "**MANHATTAN**" shirts, the best known, best made?

Where only will you get the famous "**HAWES**" $3.00 hats?

What store sells **SWEET ORR** work shirts and overalls?

Who has the largest line of children's novelty hats and who has the largest **CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT** in Monessen?

What **CLOTHING** and **FURNISHINGS** store in Monessen **GUARANTEES** everything they sell?

What store is always the best for men's and boy's clothing and furnishings?

Who is the store **THAT SETS THE PACE?**

With these facts it will pay you to learn **Who Is Who** in the the clothing and Furnishings business? No. 2.

M. Meyers & Son
515 Donner Ave.

WHO HAS THE LEADING GARAGE?

Who has the best fire-proof garage?

Who is recognized as the best mechanic for **AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING** in this part of the valley? Who has seen service as a **RACING** mechanician?

Who has gained the highest reputation for expert repairing?

Who devotes his entire attention to repair work for **AUTO ENGINES, MARINE ENGINES** and **MOTOR CYCLES** and is known as the **REPAIRMAN WHO CAN FIND TROUBLE QUICK?**

Who has the original steam method of vulcamzing and is prepared to serice this service on short notice?

Who carries a full stock of **OILS, GREASES, SOAP, POLISHES,** etc. for automobiles?

Who now has a complete stock of "**MICHELIN**" Auto tires on hands?

Who **GUARANTEES EVERY** job and will make right anything that proves not to be right?

This leading **AUTO REPAIR MECHANIC** has had over 10 years experience and has been connected with the best garages in Philadelphia.

This **GARAGE** also has in connection, under separate management, an agency for automobiles, where it will pay every person who desires to own a machine for personal use or for business purposes to call and see what they have to offer.

Who is the agent for the celebrated "**LION**" automobiles?

Who also is the agent for the wonderful "**LITTLE GIANT TRUCK**," a machine for progressive business people?

Be sure to find Who Is Who in these lines? No. 3

J. B. Smith's Garage **J. B. Culler's** Auto Agency
9th and Donner.

WHO IS WHO IN DRY GOODS AND LADIES' FURNISHINGS?

Whose store is the oldest one of its kind in Monessen?

Where can you always find the newest and best collection of **DRESS GOODS, SILKS, WASH FABRICS, RIBBONS, EMBROIDERIES,** etc?

Who is now showing the latest in Ladies' Novelty Goods, Hand Bags, etc?

Where is the only place in Monessen you'll find the celebrated "**PRINTZESS**" garments?

Who also holds the exclusive agency for the famous **R. & G.** and "**LA RISISTA**" Corsets, two of the best styles and makes on the market?

Who sells "**ONYX**" Hosiery, another leading make of women's furnishings?

Where only, will you find "**BUTTERICK**" Patterns?

Whose store always has the best line of **SHIRT WAISTS, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR?**

Whose store has Parke's Premium Parlor?

Who is it that has an exclusive **MILLINERY** department and where will you always first find the prevailing fashions?

Where will you find the most complete **CHILDREN'S** and **INFANTS' DEPARTMENT?**

This store is known as the Ladies', Misses' and Children's most complete outfitters, where time and energy on the manager's part enables you to purchase quality at medium prices. No. 4.

N. W. Schlup Co.
525 Donner Ave.

WHO IS WHO IN REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE?

Who's the leading agency in Monessen **REAL ESTATE, FIRE INSURANCE,** and does a general **RENTAL** and **COLLECTION** business?

Who is in who will not close any deal until both the buyer and seller are satisfied, so as to care for their patrons, as they would desire to be cared for?

Who says you should choose your **INSURANCE AGENCY** as you choose your bank and that your **INSURANCE POLICY** is next in importance to the title deed of your property?

Who is it that is **JOHNNIE ON THE SPOT IN INSURANCE, WONT ALLOW YOUR POLICY TO LAPSE** and looks after every policy ver carefully?

Who is it that in all matters of **INSURANCE** can deliver the goods?

Who represents the oldest Insurance company in the world?

Who can write you the best **AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE POLICY,** at the lowest rate?

Who is the **INSURANCE AGENCY** in Monessen who never had a claim contested?

Who writes the **HEALTH, ACCIDENT, LIABILITY** and **PLATE GLASS** Insurance?

Who can suggest improvements in your risk so as to reduce your rate?

Who has the most buyers for Monessen properties?

It will pay you to find **WHO IS WHO** in the **REAL ESTATE** and **INSURANCE.** business. No. 5

Shuster & Reed
519 Schoonmaker Ave.

WHO IS WHO IN WATCHES, DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY?

What **JEWELER** in Monessen is recognized as **"AUTHORITY"** on Diamonds? Diamonds are the most precious gems in the world and should always be purchased from the most reliable dealer to be found. This jeweler carries the rarest collection of these gems in this part of the country.

Who sells the famous "**HOWARD**" Watch and who is now showing the newest **THIN MODEL ELGIN** Watch, just fresh from the factory?

Where must you go to find the most beautiful and largest display of all kinds of fine jewelry?

What **JEWELER** sells "Hawke's" fine cut glass?

What **JEWELER** carries a large stock of fine silverware and always can show you the latest patterns?

Where can you get the most reliable watch repairing, as well as jewelry repairing and engraving?

Who has the finest collection of fine clocks and art goods?

Who shows the greatest collection of fine **FRENCH CHINA?**

Who sells the famous "**BIG BEN**" alarm clocks?

Who is the most up-to-date and progressive jeweler, the one who is now remodeling his store, which is in the most desirable location on Donner avenue near Sixth street.

It will pay everyone to get acquainted with this leading jeweler. He is short, dark complected and thoroughly reliable, and his wife ,who also waits on trade, is one of the best known society women in Monessen. No.6.

Philip Brenner
566 Donner Ave.

WHO IS WHO IN PLUMBING, GAS AND ELECTRIC SUPPLIES?

Who are recognized as the leading and foremost **PLUMBING, GAS** and **ELECTRIC** supply business?

What **PLUMBING COMPANY** executes everything in plumbing from repair work to the installing of **STEAM** and **HOT WATER HEATING SYSTEMS?**

WHERE WILL YOU FIND THE MOST UP-TO-DATE AND BEST DISPLAY OF EVERYTHING in the plumbing and heating line?

What Plumbing Company **AIMS TO BE PROMPT** and are prepared to render the quickest service in town?

Where can you find anything and everything in **GAS** and **ELECTRIC** fixtures, in the greatest variety of new styles?

Who does the best **ELECTRIC WIRING?**

Who has had the largest contracts for **PLUMBING** and **ELECTRIC WORK** in Monessen?

Who sells all the new creations in **ELECTRIC UTENSILS** for household use?

Who sells **GAS** and **ELECTRIC COMBINATION FIXTURES** in the latest designs?

Who sells **ELECTRIC MOTORS** as well as everything electrical?

With these facts it will pay you to find **WHO IS WHO** in **PLUMBING,** as well as in **GAS** and **ELECTRIC** supplies. No. 7.

Monessen Plumbing and Electric Co.
Phone 41-w. J. P. Regan, Mgr. 6th and Donner

WHO IS WHO IN THE FOOTWEAR BUSINESS?

Where is the **BEST PLACE** to buy **FOOTWEAR** for **MEN, WOMEN** and **CHILDREN** at **MONEY** saving prices?

Whose **SHOE STORE** is one of the newest ones in Monessen, and has the most up-to-date stock?

What store in Monessen **SELLS NOTHING BUT FOOTWEAR** and has the best makes as well as the largest stock of everything in footwear?

Who holds the exclusive agency for the widely known "**PINGREE**" shoes for men and women?

Where only will you find the famous "**BEACON**" shoes for men?

Who has the most complete line of **CHILDREN'S SHOES** at the lowest prices and sells the famous "**LENOX**" children's shoes?

Where only will you also find the "**MARTSON**" shoes for boys, the best wearing shoes made?

What **SHOE DEALER** gives "**PARKE**" stamps?

What **SHOE STORE** sells only for cash, but gives their patrons the benefit in the lowest consistent prices?

With these facts, it will pay everyone in Monessen to find **WHO IS WHO** in the Footwear business. No 8.

Garman Brothers
418 Donner Ave.

WHO IS WHO IN THE DRUG OPTICAL BUSINESS?

What drug store is the most up-to-date and sells the highest branded remedies and drug sundries known all over the United States and Canada? Do you know the name of these famous remedies?

Who are not only the largest druggists in Monessen but also in 6,500 other towns and cities? They are found in only **ONE** store.

What store is the most reliable one to have your prescription filled at?

What **DRUGGIST NEVER SUBSTITUTES** in the filling of presesiptions?

When you think of drugs, remedies and drug sundries, which drug store should you think of?

Where can you always find just what you want in medicines, sick room supplies, toilet articles, **GOOD CIGARS,** etc.

What **DRUGGIST** is also the leading **OPTICIAN** and has a great host of patrons, not only from Monessen, but also from many distant points?

Who is the only **GRADUATE OPTICIAN** in Monessen?

What **OPTICIAN** treats muscular imbalance successfully?

Be sure to find **WHO IS WHO** in these lines, it is the only dealer in town who sells the famous **LIGGETT'S CHOCOLATES.**

Who has the best Soda Syrups in Monessen? No. 9.

H. F. Craig
Druggist and Optician
461 Donner Ave.

WHO IS WHO IN THE RESTAURANT BUSINESS?

What is the name of Monessen's **FINEST, NEWEST** and **MOST UP-TO-DATE RESTAURANT?**

What **RESTAURANT** has the most beautifully decorated dining room, has 7 tables and the largest and best lunch counter in town?

What Restaurant has the best **MENU,** containing every up-to-date dish you could desire?

What Restaurant is open day and night and is fastly gaining the largest patronage in town?

Where can you get the best meal or lunch?

Who has the highest salaried cooks who know how to cook equal to the best anywhere?

Be sure to learn **WHO IS WHO** in the **RESTAURANT** business and be able to recommend it to your friends. No. 10.

Busy Bee Restaurant
Donner Ave.

WHO IS WHO IN SEWING MACHINES AND PHONOGRAPHS?

Who is the agent in Monessen for the best **SEWING MACHINES** in the world?

Where can you see the **GREAT FIVE NEW 1912 MODELS** of **SEWING MACHINES,** accepted all over the world as comprising the best in sewing mechanism?

Who sells the largest number of **SEWING MACHINES** in Monessen?

Where can you see the largest number of styles in Sewing Machines?

What **SEWING MACHINES** have proven to be the best, in the long run?

What **SEWING MACHINES** are on sale in every town and city of any importance in both America and foreign countries?

What **SEWING MACHINES** do the most expert dressmakers use?

Who is also the agent for the celebrated "**VICTOR**" talking machine, the greatest talking machine made?

Who sells records for both the "**VICTOR**" and **EDISON,** and keeps a full stock of all the latest pieces?

Who can show you "VICTOR" talking machines from $10.00 to $200.00, in the very latest models?

With these facts it will pay you to learn **WHO IS WHO** in **SEWING MACHINES** and **PHONOGRAPHS.** NO. 11

Salvador Petrancosta
Agent for Singer Sewing Machines & Victor Talking Machines
357 Schoonmaker Avenue.

WHO IS WHO IN DENTISTRY?

What Dentist is recognized as Monessen's leading Dentist?

Who does twice the business of any other Dentist in Monessen?

Why do most of the people go to this Leading Dentist for service?

Who has the best equipped dental establishment with the finest and most modern, as well as most sanitary systems created for the practice of dentistry?

Who is the **DENTIST** in Monessen who has had over 25 years of experience?

Who is the only **DENTIST** who employs a dentist to assist in his work?

What leading **DENTIST** makes a specialty of **BRIDGE** and **CROWN** work.

What **DENTIST** has a fixed price on each grade of work and gives everybody the same price?

This leading Dentist renders the most satisfactory work, of which any of his patrons will tell you.

The persons who find **"WHO IS WHO" IN DENTISTRY,** within 6 days of this date, will be given free of charge, $1.00 credit on dental work.

Be sure to find **WHO IS WHO IN DENTISTRY!** No. 12

Dr. Geo. T. Cornelius
Donner Avenue.

WHO IS WHO IN THE MOVING PICTURE BUSINESS?

Who is recognized as the most progressive moving picture man in the entire valley?

Who is it that only three years ago started in the moving picture business in Monessen and now has four of the most progressive moving picture theatres in this part of the country?

Who has a moving picture theatre in Monessen, Charleroi, Donora, Monongahela, and is now preparing to open the second one in Donora?

Who is the moving picture theatre that pays for the **BEST, CLEANEST** and **MOST** moral pictures?

What moving picture theatres in the towns mentioned, give their patrons the most courteous treatment?

What Theatres are also the most comfortable, change their pictures daily, have matinee daily, have the finest mirror screens which shows life size pictures?

What moving picture theatres presents liscenced films in Monessen and Monongahela and the best films of the Sales Company in Charleroi and Donora?

Who always has a uniform admission fee of Five Cents, no matter how expensive the show is?

Who has the best **PIANO PLAYER** in Monessen?

The **MONESSEN THEATRE** has a seating capacity of 300 and is very finely decorated, has its own electric plant and is the fastest growing theatre in town. It will pay you to learn who this is. No. 13

BIJOU THEATRE, Monessen; STAR THEATRE, Charleroi; STAR THEATRE, Donora; IDEAL THEATRE, Monongahela. Tom B. Cowan, Gen. Mgr.

WHO IS WHO IN THE LUMBER AND BUILDING BUSINESS?

Who are the largest **LUMBER DELAERS** in the valley, ouside of Pittsburg?

Who carries the largest stock of all kinds of **LUMBER** and **BUILDERS' SUPPLIES?**

Who can supply the largest order, as well as the smallest order, of **LUMBER** and **BUILDER'S MATERIALS** on the shortest notice?

Who have the best reputation for quoting prices that are right?

Who are also recognized as the foremost **CONTRACTORS** and **BUILDERS** and are prepared to build anything from a shed to an office building?

Who are the builders that erect the most of the largest buildings as well as the largest numbr of small residences in Monessen?

Who sell **LIME, CEMENT, BRICK, PLASTER, SLATE, COMPOSITION ROOFING** as well as **BUILDERS'** hardware of all kinds.

Who are also equipped to make **STAIRS, DOORS, SASH, MOULDING** and all kinds of **FINISH WORK?**

Don't fail to find Who is Who in these lines. No. 14.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. J. H. Kelly is a visitor in Pittsburgh this afternoon.

Mrs. C. R. New left yesterday for a visit with relatives at Columbus, Ind.

Mrs. C. M. Lamb and Mrs. R. H. Thatcher are Pittsburgh visitors today.

Miss Eff Graham of Crafton has returned to her home after a short visit here with friends.

Marriage license has been issued in Pittsburgh to Jura Kundvat of Monessen and Marie Boven of Ambridge.

Marriage license has been issued in Pittsburgh to James A. Hoffman of Mt. Oliver and Hattie Harshman of Donora.

J. M. Sterling of Latrobe was a business caller here yesterday and Monday.

Coroner Heffran of Washington county pronounced the death of Violet Whitney of Donora due to accidental drowning.

Miss Anna Brautegam is expected to return to school at De Sailles Heights academy at Parkersburg, W. Va., tomorrow.

E. V. Anderson and daughter Olive will attend the Tournoi being given by the Masons in Exposition hall in Pittsburgh this evening.

The high school girls are very busy these days practicing their chorus work for the coming class commencement which will occur the early part of June.

David Ramsey and son Edward of Viola, Tennessee, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Luce. The former Mr. Ramsey is an uncle of Mrs. Luce.

The members of Methodist team of the Church League will practice tomorrow evening at Etectric park. All those wishing a try-out are expected to report at this time.

Should an ordinance pass final reading admitting South Donora into the borough of Donora, the entire community will have a population of 9,570 or about 50 less than Charleroi and 2,560 less than Monessen.

Men out in a skiff at West Newton yesterday evening saw a well dressed man walk into the Yough river, flounder a bit and sink. They recovered the body but he was not known.

Voyle Manown one of the strongest entrants in the approaching Valley High School field meet sprained his ankle severly while running in a hurdle race at a recent practice of the local High School track team at Electric park.

Miss Marie Sheetz returned to school at St. Joseph's academy near Greensburg this morning. She was accompained by her mother who will return after a short visit in Greensburg.

This evening the Monessen Club will hold the Seventh of their series of dances in Kelly's hall. The event has been looked forward to for some time by the members and promises to well attended.

A well developed case of smallpox was found in the grammar school at Greensburg when Margaretta Story, aged 12, became ill in school and was sent home. The school was closed and 300 pupils were sent home and vaccinated.

President Taft secured his choice of boxes for the May Music Festival to be given in Cincinnati, Ohio, May 7th to 11th, by paying $450 each therefor, he registering the highest bid. The President will attend the first two days and Mrs. Taft will remain through the entire series.

As a result of the deadlock in McKeesport councils and the refusal of city officials to execute notes to borrow money, 223 city employes of the Tube City are without their pay envelopes, which were due yesterday, and the city owes its workers $6,040 82. When the tangle will be straightened out is a question.

Kreiger & Umbel have opened a general tinning, roofing and repair shop at No. 356 Schoonmaker avenue, near the corner of Fourth street, and are now open for business. The firm name is The Pittsburgh Tinning & Roofing Co., and as these gentlemen are practical, careful workmen, satisfaction is assured. Read their "ad" on another page of this paper.

A bill has been introduced in the Senate by U. S. Senator George Oliver calling for an additional appropriation of $250,000 for the reconstruction and repair of Lock No. 6 in the Monongahela river. No mention is made in the bill of a part of the money being used for Lock No. 4 nor has there been any move on the part of Senator Oliver to secure an appropriation for the neighboring lock.

BIJOU

Where are the most entertaining pictures and the best music and coziest theatre? There is but one answer to this question and that is the Bijou. Admission 5 cents all the time. 72-3t

OLYMPIC

At the Olympic today—Wednesday. Special, in addition to the regular program, the Olympic Theatre will show the "Blazing of the Trail," a picture similar to the 101 ranch—two reels. Don't miss it. Something fine.

WEBSTER INTERNATIONAL IS THE BOOK

The Daily Independent editorial office has received direct from The G. & C. Merriam Co., of Springfield, Mass., a full sheep bound copy of the new Webster International Dictionary and we are perfectly satisfied with the book in every respect, and as many in and about Monessen are at this time placing this elegant book in their libraries or on their office tables we feel it our duty to our patrons and to the publishers of the book to suggest that they do not make the mistake of thinking that the "New International" is a patched up, slightly added to edition of an older book. It is absolutely and completely new. The old International, though supreme in its field at that time served only as a starting point. To make this new book trained scholars have labored and delved for nearly ten years to produce the nearest perfect and absolutely best dictionary in the world today. It contains 400 more pages much additional matter and improvement on definitions where possible or necessary. The binding is the best, the page construction is perfect, and the vocabulary and information is more than double.

Hence those having an opportunity to possess this great book should not miss it.

OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR CHURCH LEAGUE

A meeting of the representatives the of Church League was held last evening at the office of the Motz Lumber Co., on Donner avenue. A full representation was on hand and officers elected for the present year are: J. C. F. Motz, president and W. L. Zollars secretary-treasurer. Mr. Zollars was elected as an extra member of the Executive Board of the league, there being six other members.

The constitution was revised and embodies several matters that were the subject for much contention among the teams last season. It was decided to have an official scorer and a chief of umpires. These positions are open at the present time and will be filed later by the president. A proposition was received from the Page Athletic Assocation offering the use of the grounds at the rate of $2 per game. This was not acted upon definitely as it was thought advisable to look over the Electric Park grounds and see if they could not be put in shape at a reasonable figure. The meeting was adjourned until the call of the president.

Profit in Seaweed.

The same species of seaweed used in Japan for the manufacture of kanten exists in inexhaustible abundance on our Pacific coast and at numerous places along the Atlantic coast, while related species, of equal value, are abundant almost everywhere in temperate waters. In this country the product commands high prices, so that the manufacture of seaweed isinglass ought to prove a highly remunerative industry.

What Men Escape.

Of course men have their little worries and troubles, but they don't have to go to bed night after night with their faces smeared with complexion ointment.—Galveston News.

H. J. Bearer and Charles Schrader were passengers on the noon train for McKeesport.

The various candidates in the recent primary in Westmoreland county have begun the filing of their expense accounts at Greensburg and the amounts range from $30 up to $232 and this only includes some of the candidates who did not make a big campaign. The remaining accounts are expected to run up into greater sums.

The citizens of Ligonier, this county, last Saturday, by a vote of 152 to 76 have spoken their sentiment in favor of bonding the property of their town to raise $65,000 to instal a sewerage system and disposal plant. Of the large sum of money, some $13,000 will be devoted to clear off an old debt which has been hanging on the town since other municipal improvements were made.

RONALD REAMER HAS A NARROW ESCAPE

A narrow escape from probably serious injury was the lot of Ronald Reamer the 17 year old son of Burgess Reamer yesterday afternoon when he was struck by an automobile at the corner of Fourth and Donner. The young man was riding a bicycle and approaching the corner where the accident occurred did not hear the warning which the driver said he sounded and was hurled to the street.

The young man escaped unscathed but the bicycle was completely demolished. There have been several accidents and near accidents occur lately due in a great measure, to the carelessness of drivers, because of the fact that little children who are unable to properly ride bicycles are allowed to use the streets where large amount of traffic is carried on.

COAL CENTER MAN LOSES WHOLE FAMILY

With a new home nicely furnished, ready to take his family, John Panula, a prosperous and well known Finlander of Coal Center on Monday received word from New York that the likelihood was that his wife, five sons and one daughter had lost their lives when the Titanic sank in mid ocean. Panula had been in this country two months and was anxiously awaiting his family from Finland. His answer to a telegram sent to New York City, was that so far as known his people had lost their lives with the ship. The Panulas had lived about Coal Centre for eight years and two years ago went to the old country on a visit. He was a hard working coal miner and was considered worth about $10 000 having sold valuable property in his home land.

Best get rid of bed bugs at house cleaning time. Kirk's Insect Chaser Kills 'em 25c at Kirk's.

YOUNG HIGHWAYMEN ATTACK A NEWSBOY

A few evenings ago a gang of youngsters took it into their heads to do a little practice work along the line of highway ronbery and about 5:30 five boys hid behind an old coal shed near Eighth street, where they lay in waiting until one of the Independent's little newsies came along delivering his papers. All at once the "gang" jumped from their place of hiding and attacked the Flembing boy, taking from him what Independents he had not sold and a bag of peanuts. Kenneth is a regular, steady little newsboy and every evening may be seen delivering Independents to his regular patrons in that section of town. These five boys, whose names are well known, have quite a reputation regardless of their youthfulness, they having before been before our local courts for robbing pantries, stealing coals and committing other petty offenses, and it is to be hoped they will see the error of their ways before it is too late and they get into more serious trouble and land behind real jail bars.

New Mill Starts Today

The new Greensburg plant of the Noelke-Richards Iron Co., was put in operation today. Eighteen directors and heads of departments were in Greensburg all of today to see the new mill formally started and this evening they will be banquetted at the Country Club by the Board of Trade. The new mill is on the ground of the old and defunct Brown-Ketchum plant below Greensburg, the building erected by the latter having been bought and are being used by the new concern.

The Monessen A. A. is expecting to enter men in all of the open events in the field meet to be held in the base ball park at Charleroi on Saturday, May 11. A team will be entered in the one mile relay race also. The meet is to be held under the sanction of the Amateur Athletic Association.

Ask the man who owns one

DOMINANT

Over half of the American cars driven by tourists in Europe are Packards, according to registrations in the Paris edition of the New York Herald.

At mountain touring centers in the United States, Packard cars outnumbered all others, according to registrations at the leading touring rendezvous.

The dominant position at once conceded to the Packard "Six" has so spurred the demand for Packard cars that sales for 1912 models in mid-season exceed the total sales of the 1911 season, 77 per cent of the entire 1912 output already having been sold.

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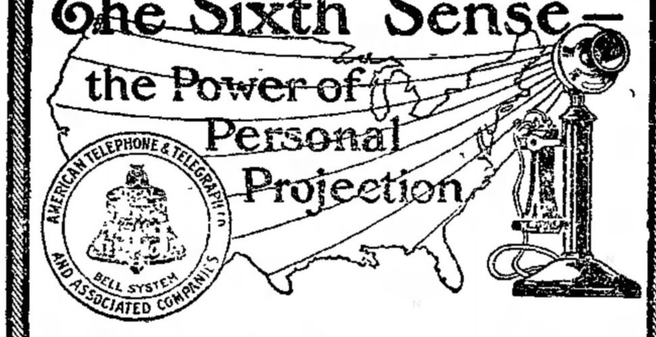

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Teacher of Piano

Little Marjorie at Church.

Little Marjorie went with her mother to church on the night the minister baptized a convert by immersion. As soon as the ceremony was over the little girl leaned over to her mother and said in an excited whisper, "Mamma, do they drown some one here ever' Sunday?"

WHO?

Who will cook my wedding meal?
Who will bake my angel's food?
Who will serve a lunch that's real?
Who will bake a Lady Baltimore's cake?
Who will serve my dinner parties?
Who can bake a devil's food?
Who in the culinary art is fine?
Who's the cook that'll cater to you?
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